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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re application of: : DANIEL W. GREEN  
U.S. Serial No. : 09/477,093  
Filed : January 4, 2000  
For : OPERAND QUEUE FOR USE IN A FLOATING POINT  
UNIT AND METHOD OF OPERATION  
Group No. : 2787  
Examiner : C. Harkness

**BOX NON-FEE AMENDMENT**  
Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.113**

No fees are believed to be necessary; however, in the event that any fees are required for the prosecution of this application, please charge any necessary fees to Deposit Account No. 50-0208. No extension of time is believed to be necessary. If, however, an extension of time is needed, the extension is requested and please charge the fee for this extension to Deposit Account No. 50-0208.

In response to the Office Action dated August 27, 2002, please amend the above-identified application as follows: